

Feb 8, 1915

D.W. Griffith's silent movie
epic about the Civil War. "The
Birth of a Nation" premiered
in Los Angeles

Jan 28, 1915

The Coast Guard was created
by an Act of Congress

1915

The CELILO Canal was built
around CELILO Falls on the
Columbia R.



Celilo Falls was one of nature's natural barriers that created three operating sections for sternwheeler along the Columbia and Snake River. Construction of The Dalles Dam eventually silenced these historic falls.

Jan. 25, 1915

The invention of the telephone, Alexander
Graham Bell, inaugurated U.S.
transcontinental telephone service.

Dec 18, 1915

Pres Wilson, wedded the
year before married Edith
Bolling Galt at her Washington
home.

Oct 23, 1915

25,000 women marched
in New York City demanding
the right to vote.

1915

U.S. Population = 100 million

Apr 24, 1915

The Ottoman Turkish Empire
began the brutal mass
deportation of Armenians
during World War I

May 7 1915

2:10 PM

2:25 PM

2:25 PM

May 7, 1915

785 ft. long

Sunk

The Lusitania (the British passenger liner) was torpedoed in May of 1915 by a German submarine off the coast of Ireland.

The ship carried civilian men, women & children. It was sunk without warning.

The attack killed 1,201 of the 1,962 people aboard. The submarine launched

2 torpedoes, one of which struck home.
The Capt of the sub said he didn't know
what he was firing at. The sub
log book was doctored after the event
the liner was transporting munitions and
weapons. Exploding munitions contributed to
the tragedy. The ship foundered in just 18
minutes. Ship put in service Sept 1907
by Cunard line. Last voyage left May 1, 1915
Capt. William Turner knew he could not save
his ship. Sub Commander: Capt Walter Schwieger
were near Queenstown, Ireland.

F. 65
Temp
Water

21 JAN 1915
FIRST KIWANIS
CLUB FOUNDED
IN DETROIT,
MICH.

25 JAN 1915

1ST PHONE CALL

N.Y.C. TO S.F.